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Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 10582869 in the amount of \$130.00 has been denied .

This is in response to your letter submitted on May 6, 2009, wherein you requested a refund in the amount of \$200.00.

The request for refund is Dismissed.

After thorough inspection of U.S. Patent and Trademark Office physical records and Revenue Accounting Management financial records, it is determined that you are not entitled to a refund of \$200.00.

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Sincerely,

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